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Ida S. Peckham

Dear Mrs. Peckham:

Your letter to Assemblyman Kidder, and the tapes it enclosed, were forwarded to my office for my response.

I have carefully listened to the tapes and the information they contain. In response to the allegation that the electromagnet owned by the Soviet Union is affecting the weather patterns over the United States, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration hastens to assure me that it is not possible for this to happen. Several agencies monitor the weather patterns around the world, and they would have noticed such a disruption if it were occurring.

As the tapes you sent refer to a matter of national security, I have sent them to the Central Intelligence Agency for their perusal. I am certain that they will take whatever action they deem appropriate to follow up on this matter.

I appreciate your taking the time to bring this to my attention, and hope you will not hesitate to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

Stanley N. Lundine
Member of Congress

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MEMORANDUM

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Dear

Enclosed are the tapes I mentioned in our earlier conversation.

They work better than warm milk if you're having trouble sleeping.

I don't know if you indulge, but I heard rumor that you have a softball team - and if you're looking for an opponent, we might be talked into arranging something.

Karin Sheldon.
Office of Stan Lundine.

Tapes to Sen. Staff

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